

COUNTRESS DIANE OGIER; HER SEX IS REVEALED ON THE OPERATING TABLE

Countess Diane Ogier D'Ivry Dies
of Accidental Injuries in a
Paris Hospital.

THROWN FROM A CART

Appeared to Be a Handsomely
Dressed Young Man Until Sur-
geons Made Examination.

A NOTED HORSEWOMAN

Who Wore Short Hair and As-
sumed Male Attire to Avoid
Attracting Attention.

PARIS, Dec. 12.—The Countess Diane Ogier D'Ivry, the beautiful young daughter of Count Ogier D'Ivry, died in a hospital here yesterday under remarkable circumstances. Last evening a pony cart driven by a handsomely dressed young man, accompanied by a groom, collided with a heavy vehicle near the Avenue Du Bois du Boulogne. The occupants of the pony cart were thrown out and the groom was slightly injured. The Countess was seriously injured. The latter was removed to a hospital. There he was placed in the male ward and the doctors were preparing for an operation when they found the injured person to be a woman. She was removed to the female ward and was identified as the daughter of Count Ogier D'Ivry. A medical examination disclosed that her skull was fractured in three places and she died soon after.

The countess was twenty years old and her blonde hair was cut short. It was explained that she was in the habit of assuming male attire to avoid attracting the attention of men. The countess is a highly connected. The count is a retired army officer and the author of a number of poetical works including "Rhymes of Cape and Sword". A member of the family's entourage says the countess was fond of daring feats of horsemanship. She was known to drive fast dogs and four-in-hand. She found that male dress attracted less attention while driving and when this attire was one of the most daring drivers on the avenue. The family has a chateau at Nérac, in the Department of Lot-et-Garonne, where the peasants were familiar with the countess's strange costume and daring.

GARBED LIKE A MAN, WORKED AS OFFICE BOY

CLEVELAND, Dec. 12.—The police here today arrested Miss Evaline Bryler, of Milwaukee, who for weeks has been boarding at a small hotel on Bank street, dressed in male attire, under the name of John Witt, and employed as an office boy in a manufacturing establishment.

According to the girl's confession, she eloped from Milwaukee with Michael Hasenfratz and came to this city about Sept. 1. She donned boys' clothing and was introduced at the hotel as John Witt. A quarrel between the couple resulted in Miss Bryler's sex becoming known. She will be sent back to Milwaukee at once.

TRIAL AT KISHINEFF PROCEEDING SLOWLY

Russian Authorities Say There Is
No Interference by Government.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 12.—According to the government's advice dated Dec. 11, the Kishineff trial is proceeding quietly, but slowly. Only about fifty of the 400 witnesses have been examined. The authorities say there has been absolutely no interference by the government to secure the vindication of the accused. It is pointed out as evidence of this impartiality that all except two of the defendant's counsel have returned on the ground that the judges are thwarting their conduct of the case. Reports say that many of the lawyers, who are Jews, have also withdrawn, being convinced of the impartiality of the trial, that so having accomplished their purpose of making a big demonstration at the opening. Reports from Moscow say that no adjournment is expected until the conclusion of the trial of the first group charged with murder. The proceedings are behind closed doors and will not be made public until finished.

OPERATED WITH EASE AMONG THE LAWYERS

New York Swindler Peddled a
Tale of Domestic Infelicity
Among the Legal Lights.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—A prosperous-looking man giving the name of Gottman and bearing with him a touching tale of domestic infelicity, has found a profitable field for the accumulation of ready cash among the shrewd lawyers of the East Side. These men of legal gifts are said to have shown great willingness to part with sums ranging up to \$20 in exchange for had checks and refrained from making the tale public until some one told it on his partner as a joke. Then reports of Gottman's operations came from many leading law offices along East Broadway, showing that the swindler had been acting for several weeks on the market. Gottman's scheme was to visit a lawyer and retain him in an action for divorce, after telling of his trouble at home. As a retainer he offered an apparently good check for \$100 and asked for change, which always was forthcoming in cash. Gottman never came back, but the checks always did and they were canceled as being worthless by the banks. Gottman has not been apprehended. He is supposed to have secured a large sum before the swindle was exposed.

WILL BE FELT AT ONCE.

Effect of Passage of Cuban Treaty
in Trade with the Island.

HAVANA, Dec. 12.—The merchants of Havana generally assert that the passage of the reciprocity treaty between the United States and Cuba on Wednesday next will result immediately in an extraordinary Cuban demand for American goods. Merchants have been withholding their orders for such goods for a year past on account of the uncertainties regarding tariff rates. All the Cuban merchants are expected to be relieved from the strained commercial situation which has been created by the action of Congress on Wednesday.

Countervailing Duty Abolished.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—The countervailing duty on sugar heretofore imposed by the Indian government has been abolished for all sugars produced subsequently to Aug. 1 in countries adhering to the Brussels convention, provided the sugar is not shipped from a port of a country not adhering to the convention nor has traversed such a country.



VIEW OF WESTMINSTER ABBEY.

Famous pile from which the ashes of Herbert Spencer are buried.

POPE PIUS PLEASES THE ARCHBISHOP OF ALBI

Tells the French Author He Likes
to Read His Book, the Life
of Christ.

WORK ON THE BASILICA

ROME, Dec. 12.—It has been proposed not only to put the last book of the Abbe Loigny on the Index Expurgatorius, but to have it condemned by the holy office. Archbishop Misset of Albi, France, who is now in Rome, is favorable to the Abbe Loigny. He considers him the greatest Catholic thinker of France. He believes the abbe writes in good faith and says he should be heard before he is condemned. The Pope to-day, in receiving Mgr. La Camas, bishop of Rochelle, said: "I appreciate very much your book, 'The Life of Christ'."

The bishop was surprised at his own work being known to the Pope, and the latter added: "I keep it constantly next to my bed and I read some of it every night. It helps me." The Pontiff concluded, smiling, "with my French."

The Pope has expressed his satisfaction to Cardinal Satolli at the work now in progress of restoring the basilica of St. John Lateran, especially the roof, which threatened to fall in. The late Pope Leo XIII had already given a sum of money for the church's restoration, but it being insufficient, he interested the Franciscans in the matter and they made a quest throughout the world for the restoration of the basilica. The Pope is engaged in this work because of the legend, painted by Giotto, according to which St. Francis of Assisi, in one of his visions, saw the Lateran Church falling, and the saint, by order of Christ, hastening to uphold the walls.

JAPAN HAS RECEIVED A REPLY FROM RUSSIA

But Has Not Yet Indicated
Whether the Modifications
Are Acceptable.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 12.—It is said at the Foreign Office here that no reply has been received by Admiral Alexieff, the Russian viceroy in the far East, regarding the modifications of the Japanese proposals submitted by Admiral Alexieff to Baron De Rosen, the Russian minister to Japan. It is presumed here that Baron De Rosen might informally consult the Japanese authorities, but it is not known if he will pursue this course. The Foreign Office denies that China and Russia have reached an agreement covering the evacuation of the Novoe Vremya to-day denies that Russia is temporizing in the Russo-Japanese negotiations.

According to the Novokral, of Port Arthur, the Russian troops in the far East are refused to accept the Russian proposals. Although 10 degrees of frost were registered at Tientsin, the soldiers are still in tents, and the hospital facilities are inadequate. TOKIO, Dec. 12.—Russia's reply has been received. The Russian minister informed Premier Katsura yesterday that Russia would accept the Russian proposals, probably with modifications. The general election has been fixed for the 15th of December. The Diet, which is expected, will have little effect on the domestic situation. The government is calm and confident, and apparently resolved to prosecute the negotiations according to the original plan.

EMBLEM OF LIBERTY DENOUNCED AS FARCE

W. D. O'Brien Refused to Toast
the American Flag at Con-
tractors' Banquet.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—William D. O'Brien, toastmaster at the banquet of contractors and builders at the Auditorium Hotel has refused to toast the American flag as an emblem of liberty.

"Why, the emblem of liberty is a farce," he cried, "when men are shot down in the streets because they are trying to earn an honest living; when we are afraid to assert our rights for fear some labor organization will oppose us."

"It is ridiculous," he declared, "to think you should be obliged to waste your time discussing your rights with walking delegates, business agents and labor leaders. You have your rights and no man should be able to step in and dictate to you and tell you where your rights begin and end. We want to make this nation a free one, so strong that it will never again be necessary for us to confer day after day with labor leaders to obtain our rights."

Contractor William Grace, of Chicago, declared that he was tired of being told what to do by Gompers and Mitchell and other labor leaders. Mr. Grace declared that the running of the United States mail cars without police during the recent strike had made him think that his rights and the rights of every American citizen were just as sacred as the mail cars. By other speakers at the banquet the American flag was held at the door of organized labor. The feeling of the "open shop" was strong.

Philip Naege Must Die.

UPPER SANDUSKY, O., Dec. 12.—Philip Naege, after a second trial, was today convicted of murder in the first degree without recommendation for mercy, which means the infliction of the death penalty. Naege was convicted of murder in the first degree and sentenced to be electrocuted after his first trial. He is accused of having killed William Wade, a farm hand, to secure Wade's savings, amounting to about \$60.

WESTMINSTER IS CLOSED TO SPENCER'S ASHES

Remains of the Great Philosopher
Cannot Be Sepulchred in the
Historic Abbey.

DEAN DENIES REQUEST

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—The Westminster Abbey authorities have declined to permit the ashes of Herbert Spencer to be sepulchred in the British Valhalla, according to a World dispatch from London. They were informally approached, but expressed regret that it was impossible. Prime Minister Balfour, who had many controversial bouts with the dead philosopher, expressed himself favorable to burial in the abbey, but the dean and chapter proved adverse. It is said no question of religious belief could have entered into the matter because Darwin lies in the abbey.

"FREE TERRITORY" AND "OPEN SHOP"

Two Radical Declarations Adopted
by the Convention of Building
Contractors at Chicago.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—Contractors in convention here to-day moved for free competition in every city in the United States. An amendment to their constitution to this effect was passed. This is a direct blow at the agreements between contractors and building material manufacturers, which prevented a nonresident contractor from securing contracts for building except in his own immediate territory. After two hours of deadlock on the "open shop" question, the new association to-day, according to a closed shop" exponent, declared that the closed shop was a violation of the laws of the United States. This takes the place of the clause drafted by the by-law committee that made it optional with the members to grant the closed shop if deemed advisable.

FIRST AID TO INJURED.

Chicago & Eastern Illinois Will
Train Its Men to Give It.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—The trainmen of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois road are to be given a course of instruction regarding the best method of giving first aid to the injured. The instruction will be given in the form of a lecture and demonstration. The plan is to establish a school of instruction at the headquarters and require the trainmen to attend the lectures and demonstrations which will be given on the subject. Examination will be held before many months one car in each Eastern Illinois train, both freight and passenger, will have an emergency box well stocked with the necessary articles to use in accidents.

Colored Soldier Guilty of Murder.

MISSOULA, Mont., Dec. 12.—John Tully, a colored soldier of the Twenty-fourth Infantry, was found guilty to-day of murder in the first degree. He shot Thomas Kennedy, a comrade, through jealousy over a woman on Oct. 18.

DISSENSIONS IN THE PORTUGUESE CABINET

Crisis Expected When King Carlos
Returns to Lisbon from
Hunting Trip.

VIEGA BEIRAO TO LEAD

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Grave dissensions have arisen in the Portuguese Cabinet, according to a Herald dispatch from Lisbon. A crisis in the Ministry has been latent for some months and is expected to manifest itself upon the return, about Jan. 1, of King Carlos from Villa Viçosa.

With the return of King Carlos, chief of the Progressists, or liberal party, and his advanced age, make it impossible for him to entertain the idea of putting himself again at the head of a Ministry, a task which will, therefore, in all probability, fall to Viegas Beirao, of the same party. Who is considered an able statesman among the younger element.

FIRST ESTIMATE TOO HIGH

Loss by Fire at Yale University
Will Not Exceed \$100,000.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 12.—Examination by Yale officials of the damage caused by the fire at the Yale forestry school building indicated that the first estimate of \$100,000 was much too large. That estimate was based on the belief that the building contained a large number of specimens of native and foreign shrubs and trees, and the library of 5,000 volumes would be practically a total loss. A later inspection of the building, however, showed that these valuable collections, which are on the second and third floors, escaped destruction, though injured somewhat by smoke and water.

Furnaces Go Out of Blast.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Dec. 12.—The furnaces of the Struthers Furnace Company and the Youngstown Steel Company went out of blast to-day, throwing about 40 men out of employment. Twenty furnaces in the Mahoning and Shenango valleys are now out of blast. The Andrews & Hitchcock furnace at Sharpsville, Pa., will resume in about two weeks.

EMPEROR WILLIAM AND THE GERMAN EMPRESS GIVEN A ROYAL OVATION

Traveled from Potsdam to Berlin
on Special Train and Were
Warmly Welcomed.

OUTBURSTS OF CHEERS

Greeted Their Majesties as They
Proceeded Through the Streets
of the Capital.

KAISER LOOKED WELL

His First Public Appearance Since
the Operation on His Throat
—Walked Jauntily.

BERLIN, Dec. 12.—Emperor William and the Empress arrived here to-day from Potsdam. They were warmly cheered by the crowds in the streets. It was the Emperor's first appearance outside the park of the new palace at Potsdam since the operation on his throat. He looked perfectly strong and healthy, his cheeks having a good color, such as he naturally would have from hours spent every day in the open air of the park. The Emperor and Empress came to Berlin on a special train which arrived at the Potsdam station here at 3 p. m. The Emperor walked briskly, almost jauntily, from the private entrance of the station to a closed court carriage, pausing for an instant to acknowledge by a military salute the cheers of the accidental crowds attracted by the sight of the court equipage and unusual details of police, for no one knew precisely what member of the royal family was expected. Spontaneous cheers broke out as the Emperor became visible in the doorway. The inhabitants of Berlin are not much given to cheering, and the outburst therefore was remarkable. Similar demonstrations took place all along the thoroughfare from the station to the Royal Academy of Arts on the part of crowds of Christmas shoppers, most of whom, however, could barely catch a glimpse of the Emperor's features through the window of the carriage. His Majesty was received at the academy by the director and the members of his household, who were all dressed in their decorations for the new cathedral, and commented on them, it is said, with his usual good nature. He said no question of religious belief could have entered into the matter because Darwin lies in the abbey.

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TO EXPAND ITS SERVICE.

Chinese Steamship Company Will
Include Northern Ports.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—Eng Hok Fong, president and general manager of the China Commercial Steamship Company, which is operating a line of steamers between Hong-Kong, Manzanillo and this port, has arrived here from Mexico. He says his company has found the Pacific ocean enterprise a paying one, and is now figuring on increasing its steamer service between the Oriental and the Pacific coast ports.

As regards the proposition to establish a regular service to Portland, Eng Hok Fong confirms the report to the effect that experimental visits of the company's vessels to the northern port had proved successful and that it is the intention to include the North hereafter in the traffic territory of the company.

WILL BE SOLD SOON.

Unity Building, of Chicago, Which
Cost Altfeld His Fortune.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—The Unity building, in financing which Governor John P. Altgeld lost his entire fortune, will fall under the hammer next month to satisfy a decree for \$500,000 in favor of the bondholders, represented by the Equitable Trust Company of Massachusetts.

Nonunion Man Badly Beaten.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—John Stockwell, a nonunion electrician employed by the Chicago Telephone Company, was attacked by several union sympathizers to-day and beaten severely. His condition is said to be critical. The assault occurred in a building across the street from the telephone company's office.

Shot His Mother by Mistake.

M'KEESPORT, Pa., Dec. 12.—Mrs. Sarah Langley, aged fifty-six, a widow of this place, was shot by her son, Edward, aged twenty-four, who mistook her for a burglar to-day for a burglar and was shot at by him. One bullet took effect and the woman is in a serious condition.

MAD MULLAH'S FANATICS FORCED TO CANNIBALISM

Camp Followers Eating Bodies of
Those Executed by the
Chief's Order.

WOMEN EATEN BY MEN

LONDON, Dec. 12.—Advices from Somalia, East Africa, say that the Mad Mullah's camp followers have taken to cannibalism owing to a shortage of supplies. The body of a captive recently executed by the Mullah was immediately carried off and eaten. The feast was participated in by the Mullah's followers, and he is reported to have ordered executed. These were in turn cooked and eaten by their late comrades. According to deserters, the Mullah is not suffering from an actual scarcity of food, but is husbanding his resources and restricting the distribution of food strictly to the fighting men, leaving the camp followers to shift for themselves.

UNION SHOP FORBIDDEN.

Court at Brooklyn Restrains Both
Firm and Union.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Following an agreement with electotypers and stereotypers unions by the United States Printing Company, an Ohio corporation doing business in Brooklyn, that after Jan. 1 will employ only union men in its employ Justice Marvan, in the Supreme Court, has granted a temporary injunction restraining the company from employing nonunion men. An order was issued against the union and the electotypers and stereotypers directing them to show cause why the injunction should not be made permanent. The complainants allege conspiracy to make the shop a union concern.

Sheriff Punished for Contempt.

GRAND FORKS, N. D., Dec. 12.—Judge Amidon, in the Federal Court here to-day, sentenced Sheriff Scofield, of Minot, to ninety days in jail for contempt of court for approaching a juror who had been called to serve in cases pending in that court.



KING ALFONSO, OF SPAIN.

Against whose life, it is alleged, a plot was made.

KING ALFONSO'S LIFE POSSIBLY WAS PERILED

Rumors of a Conspiracy Revived
by Arrest of Two Portuguese
Game Keepers.

SHEPHERD WAS KILLED

LONDON, Dec. 12.—A special dispatch from Madrid, published here to-day, announces the arrest of two of the royal game keepers in connection with the shooting of a shepherd at Casa Campa Dec. 6, while King Alfonso was hunting there, and the suicide of a third game keeper, which has revived the rumors denied at the time that the affair really was a plot against the King's life.

It was announced from Madrid Dec. 6 that while King Alfonso was hunting in the Casa Campa a game keeper fired and killed a shepherd. The King was so affected by the incident that he returned immediately to the palace. One account of the affair was that the game keeper suspected the shepherd of an intention to attack one of the members of the King's suite. The game keeper, however, declared that the killing was accidental.

INJUNCTION REFUSED.

Court Declines to Prevent Boston
Gas Company Merger.

BOSTON, Dec. 12.—The injunction asked for by Receiver Pepper, of the Bay State Gas Company of Delaware, in his suit against the Mercantile Trust Company of New York and Kidder, Peabody & Co. and others of Boston, was refused to-day by Judge Hammond, of the Supreme Court of Massachusetts. The application was for an injunction restraining the consolidation of the Boston gas companies. The decision touches merely the phase of the general gas control, the chief feature of which is the attempt of Receiver Pepper to nullify the sale of various Boston gas companies and the Bay State Gas Company to the Massachusetts Gas Company on the ground of the insufficiency of transfer price.

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GERMANY DISPLEASED WITH KING PETER'S WAYS

Breaks Off Diplomatic Relations
with the Servian Court During
the Social Season.

MINISTER WILL LEAVE

BERLIN, Dec. 12.—The reason Germany has decided to break off diplomatic relations with the Servian court for the present, at least, is that the social season is about to begin at Belgrade and King Peter has issued invitations to balls, official receptions and other festivities as usual at all European capitals.

It is known that the ministers accredited to Belgrade have never ceased earnestly to advise King Peter to disassociate himself from the murderers of his predecessor and the latter's wife and to demand their punishment. The Servian King disregarded this advice and even did not answer the notes. Matters reached a crisis when it was evident that King Peter intended to invite the resident ministers, shake hands with them and dance with their wives. Germany accordingly decided that it was time for her minister to take a leave of absence.

FAIL OF A SCAFFOLD.

It Injures Two Men and Starts
a Small Panic.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 12.—A heavy wooden scaffold used for bricklayers on the outside of the nineteenth-story building of the First National Bank, at Fourth and Walnut, fell without warning to-day from the thirtieth story and crashed in the roof of the Bradley-Sorin building adjoining. Harry Denman was caught in the wreckage and his head crushed. An overturned stove threatened destruction by fire. Many girls who work on the fourth floor of the Bradley-Sorin building were panic-stricken by the crash and the cry of fire, but they were rescued without injury. John Hires, an employee of the Roebing Construction Company, fell with the scaffolding and was badly hurt.

W. J. Bryan in Rome.

ROME, Dec. 12.—William J. Bryan arrived here to-day.

QUEER PHASE OF FIGHT FOR EMIGRANT TRAFFIC

Another Hole in the German Drag-
net for Russians and Austrians
Closed by Saxony.

GREEDY STEAMER LINES

BERLIN, Dec. 12.—The competition for the Russian emigrant traffic has assumed a new phase. The German steamship companies, which have long enjoyed the predominant share of this traffic, have at last succeeded in stopping one loop-hole through which emigrants from the northern half of the continent reached competing lines. During the cholera outbreak of 1893 the Prussian government became concerned on account of the danger of infection and persuaded the North German Lloyd and Hamburg-American lines to undertake to pass Russian emigrants through steam baths, disinfect their belongings and agree to see the emigrants across the sea or return them to Russia or Austria as the case might be. The arrangement proved mutually satisfactory. The companies expended millions for so-called "controlling stations," at eleven of the principal ports on the eastern frontier.

The stations now comprise baths, hospitals, steam cleaning and beds, lodging barracks and administrative offices. All emigrants, whether arriving by railroad or on foot, with or without passports, are compelled by the police to stop at such stations. The police have acquired rare skill in recognizing emigrants. Unless the intending emigrants are able to satisfy the agents of the German lines of their ability to pay their passage over the sea and, if going to the United States, to get through the Ellis emigration station, they must return whence they come. The companies, naturally, have recognized the tickets of other companies reluctantly, if at all, the arrangement with the government being designed to secure them a practical monopoly in return for their heavy expenditures.

The other companies never undertook to compete actively by sending agents to Russia to drum up business, but a considerable portion of the emigrants were provided with prepaid tickets from America, which often read the non-German lines.

The German government finally decided to contract with the Red Star, Holland-American, White Star and American lines, to handle the emigrant traffic. The two former their overflow business during the rush season and to recognize the White Star line and American line prepaid tickets. Until the present time Russian and Austrian emigrants were able to pass through Saxony without control stations and been erected. Saxony, however, has just decided to imitate the Prussian example of sealing the eastern frontier, except through the North German Lloyd and Hamburg-American companies' stations. The closure of this hole in the German net is an occasion for caustic comment on the part of the competing companies, which demand the German government administrative stations impartially and recognize the tickets of all companies. This, however, is not likely to be done. The government is believed to get rid of the expense. Moreover, it said that the present arrangements have not led to a single complaint on the part of the Prussian government in years.

ARRESTED FOR MURDER.

Six Kentuckians Killed and
Robbed Unknown White Men.

HOPKINSVILLE, Ky., Dec. 12.—Frank Massie, George Holland, Dick Carney, Frank Meriwether, Charles Finch and Bill Garrett were arrested to-night at Pembroke and taken to the Kentucky Penitentiary. The six were charged with the murder of a white man on Saturday night, Nov. 14. As the stranger lay sleeping by a fire in the woods Meriwether, it is said, crushed his skull with an ax and Holland cut his throat. The men then robbed the body of about \$100. They had followed the victim from a saloon where he had displayed the money. The body was horribly mutilated and the feet cut off and buried to hide the crime. The prisoners were brought here for safe keeping.

Gridiron Club Officers.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—At the annual meeting of the Gridiron Club to-day the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: President, L. W. Condit; Vice President, John A. Carson, Philadelphia Ledger and New York Times; Secretary, John M. Schriver, Cincinnati Times-Star; Treasurer, George Walker, executive committee, F. E. Lippard, New York Evening Post; Editor, Louis Garthe, Baltimore American.

Postal Criminals Sentenced.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 12.—Columbus Ellisworth Upton and Charles W. McGregor, former clerks in the Postoffice Department and New York Times, were found guilty of postal frauds on Thursday last, were sentenced to-day by Judge Morris to serve two years in the Maryland penitentiary and pay a fine of \$1,000 each. Counsel for both defendants gave notice of an appeal.

Scant Pay for Desperate Work.

CAMDEN, N. J., Dec. 12.—Five masked desperados after holding up a bridge tender and a watchman, and to-day New York City, were found guilty of a robbery at Pavyon, a suburb, escaping after a running fight with two policemen. The station was wrecked by the force of the dynamite explosion. The robbers secured only about \$10 from the safe.

LORD ABINGER KILLED BY FALLING DOWN STAIRS OF A PARIS RESTAURANT

Son of an American Woman and
Left No Direct Heir for
Title and Fortune.

WAS AT A LATE SUPPER

When He Became Dizzy, Left the
Room and Stumbled on a
Stairway.

VERDICT OF THE DOCTORS

Heart Disease Brought on by
Shock the Cause of Death—
His Sister a Physician.

PARIS, Dec. 12.—Lord Abinger died in the Lariboisiere Hospital here to-day from heart failure, brought on by the shock of a fall down the stairs of a restaurant. His lordship arrived in Paris Thursday last, and occupied an apartment in the Elysee Palace Hotel. On the evening of his arrival he dined with his uncle, Major Magruder, and his aunt, and later, accompanied by Mrs